

Preliminary Amendment
Divisional of U.S. Appln No. 09/830,167

REMARKS

The specification, claim 1 and the Abstract have been amended to correct an inadvertent error in formulae (1-1) and (1-2) for Z, wherein X in the formulae has been changed to X'. The basis for the change can be seen in the subsequent disclosure of X' at, e.g., page 7, line 1, and the overall disclosure at, e.g., page 6, line 18 to page 7, line 9 in the application.

New claims 45-53 correspond to original claims 1-32 and 44 amended to meet the limitations of Group IV compounds per the Restriction Requirement issued October 4, 2001 in parent application 09/830,167.

Entry of the above amendment is respectfully requested.

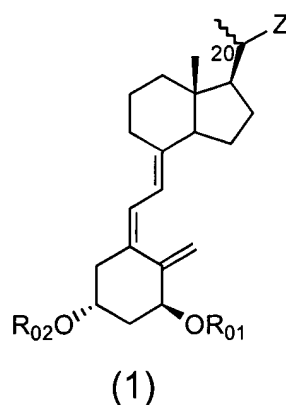
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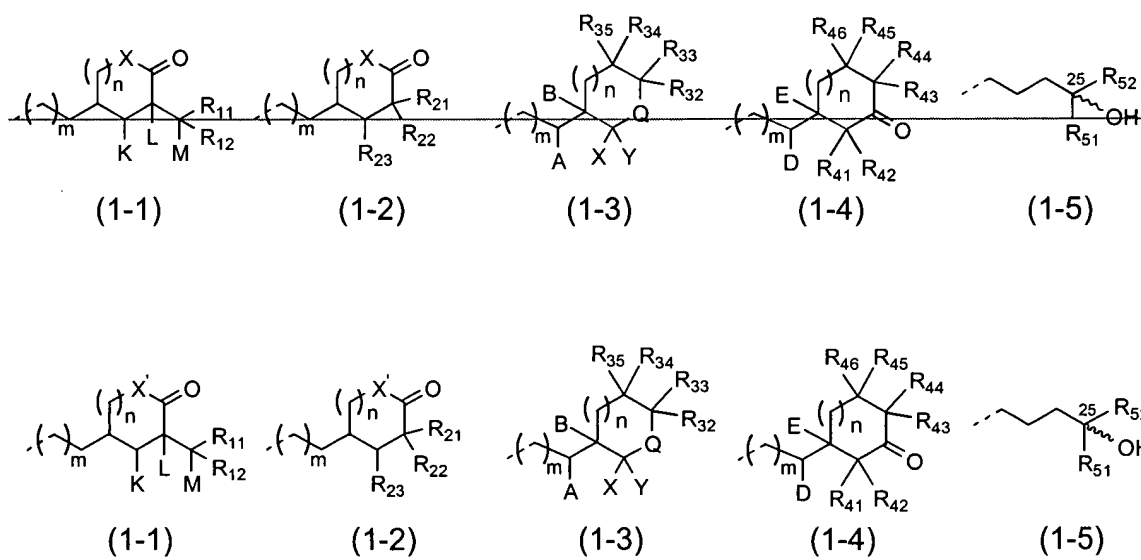
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Compounds expressed by the following general formula (1),



[wherein, R_{01} and R_{02} are each independently a hydrogen atom or a protecting group for a hydroxyl group; Z is one out of the following formulae (1-1) to (1-5)].



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